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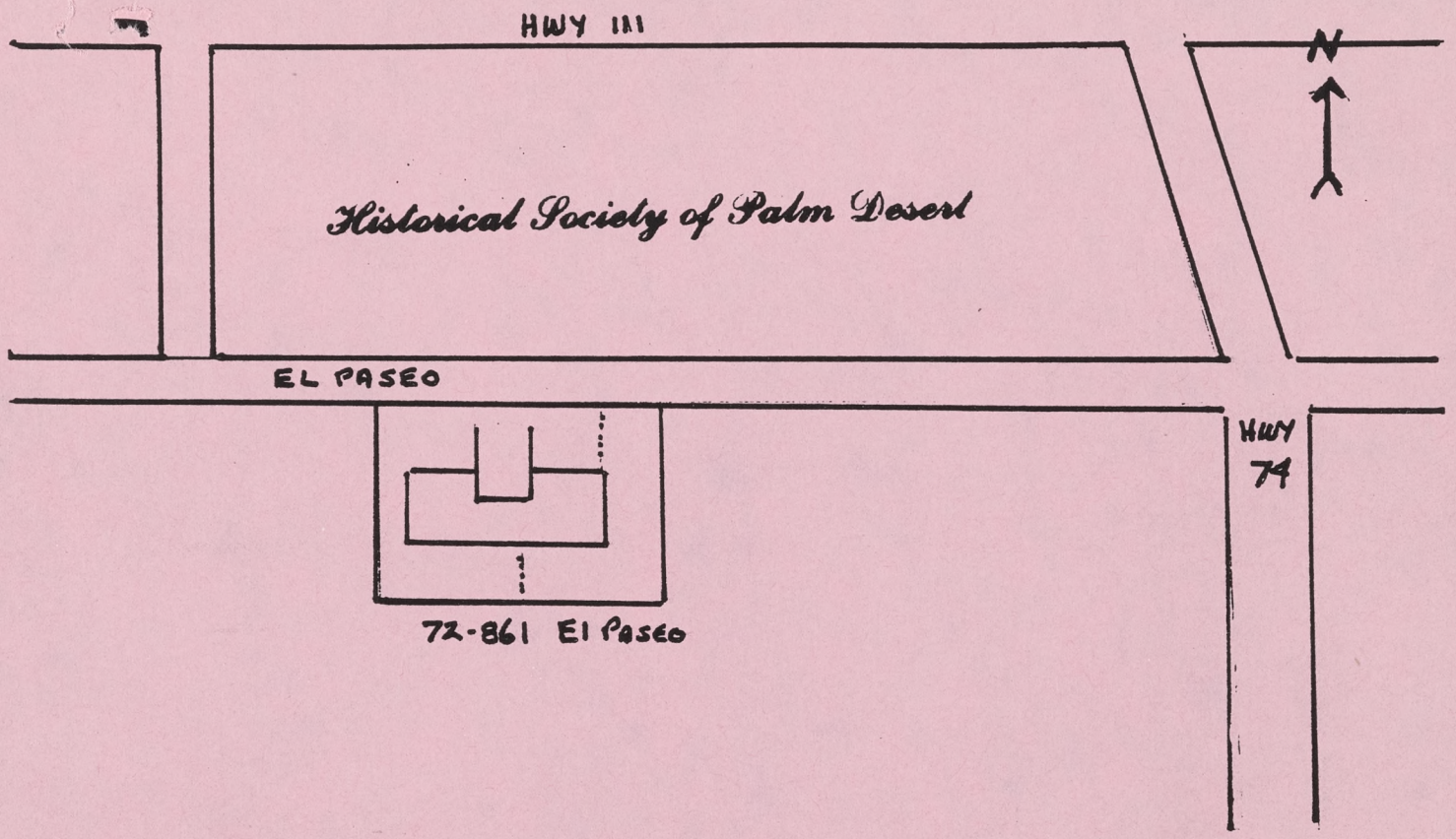

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At last....we are able to release our BIG NEWS to you !!!!!!!

Through the generosity of our city Founder, the late Mr Clifford Henderson, and the dedication of his wife Marian to pursue his wishes, the Historical Society of Palm Desert now has a new and permanent home.

On January 1st thru an agreement with the Riverside County Counsel we were given permission to move into the old Fire Station on El Paseo, while all the documentation was completed by all parties. Now we have permission to announce to the members that this is our permanent home. You will note a diagram of the location above.

Continuing our practice of recognizing Founder's Day, on Wednesday May 15th, we would like to invite you to an OPEN HOUSE of this facility from 2 to 5 P.M. We will be delighted to show you through the entire facility and share with you our plans for its future. Refreshments will be served.

SO.....Please Join Us on Wednesday Afternoon, May 15th...from 2 to 5 P.M.

Inasmuch as everything has been so indefinite these past six months, we have been unable to plan our usual Spring Luncheon. However, this Fall, we plan to have a complete program set up for the entire year that will include many activities in our new location. We hope to involve those of the membership who would like to donate their time to our programs of historic preservation, education, publicity, collections, finance, etc. We feel now that we have this "HOME" , our collectibles are safe, and our future assured.

We do need your continued support inasmuch as we now have larger facilities to maintain. As a result, you will note attached to this May newsletter the structure of dues, which are payable now. Thank You !!

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